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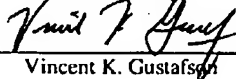
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This responds to the July 2, 2007 Office Action in the above-identified application.

The time for responding to the July 2, 2007 Office Action without extension was set at three months, or October 2, 2007.

No amendments to the claims are made herewith.

Remarks discussing the in-person Examiner Interview conducted on August 23, 2007 and concerning the substance of the July 2, 2007 Office Action are set out in **Section I (Remarks)** hereof.